



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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Appl. No. 10/669,888

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For: Nucleic Acid Constructs and Methods for Producing Altered Seed Oil Compositions

Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

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Sir:

It is hereby requested that the period for responding to the outstanding Office Action be extended one month from October 3, 2006 to November 3, 2006 by the filing of this Petition and fee payment.

Authorization to charge the official fees for this filing is given in the accompanying transmittal letter.

Respectfully submitted,

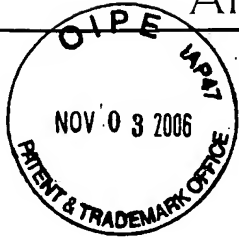
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In the event that extensions of time beyond those petitioned for herewith are necessary to prevent abandonment of this patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned. Applicants do not believe any fees, other than the one month extension of time fee (\$120.00), are due in conjunction with this filing. However, if any additional fees are required in the present application, including any fees for extensions of time, then the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fees to Arnold & Porter LLP Deposit Account No. 50-2387 referencing matter number 70750.100. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kristan L. Lansbery". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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Enclosures